



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No. : 10/623,186  
Applicants : BUCKINGHAM, THOMAS M., ET AL.  
Filed : JULY 21, 2003  
Title : METHOD OF ILLUMINATING A ROTARY BLADE BY APPLICATION OF  
A PHOTOLUMINESCENT PAINT (AS AMENDED)

Art Unit : 1762  
Examiner : FLETCHER, WILLIAM P., III

Atty Docket No. : DHIN-0001-UT1

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Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**  
**UNDER 37 CFR §1.111**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of October 4, 2006, the period of response to which is set to expire on February 4, 2007, together with a Petition for a One-Month Extension of Time and the appropriate fee, please amend the above-captioned application, without prejudice or disclaimer, as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.